

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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**EXAMINER:** 

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**INVENTION:** 

"PHOTON OPERATING DEVICE AND PHOTON OPERATING

METHOD"

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

## AMENDMENT "C" ACCOMPANYING RCE

This Amendment "C" is filed in response to the Final Office Action of July 31, 2003 and accompanies an RCE Request. Please reconsider the application in view of the amendments and remarks presented below.

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